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LR 161, 167, 185,  
187, 188, 217, 220,  
261, 270, 278, 295

SENATOR MARVEL: We have about three alternatives as far as the item veto is concerned. The first one is to override the item veto. The second one is to try to cut services, and the third one is an attempt to run a tight ship, and if we get into real trouble, we can put in a deficiency appropriation. I propose with the cooperation of the Legislature to take the third alternative and I think that we can be protected as a result of that.

SENATOR SIMON: Then just for my clarification, there will be no change in terms of staffing patterns, or in terms of business as normal, essentially?

SENATOR MARVEL: That is right.

SENATOR SIMON: Thank you.

SENATOR MARVEL: Now, Mr. President, should I proceed? Each one of you were given a copy of the report of the Executive Board of the Legislature Council as far as resolutions are concerned, we considered 87 different resolutions. The rules of this Legislature indicate that when one of you introduces a resolution and it is referred to a committee other than a committee where you serve that the introducer of the resolution is made a part of a standing committee for the purposes of researching that particular resolution. In addition to this, it was the feeling of the majority of the Executive Board that the resolutions would be assigned to either a standing committee, a special committee or a select committee. Almost without exception we have followed this rule. In the third place, on page six there were exceptions to nine different resolutions. These have been basically discussed with those of you who are involved, but we have resolution 161, 167, 185, 217, 220, 261, 278, 295, and 270. Now if there are questions I or any other members of the committee will attempt to answer them. Mr. Clerk, Mr. Clerk, Pat, will you read the motion that I have so that we can proceed.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Marvel moves to accept the report on Legislative Resolutions proposing interim studies as prepared by the Executive Board.

SENATOR MARVEL: I propose that particular motion with this added comment, that in regard to Legislative Resolution 217, it would be referred to the Executive Board and they in turn would contact the introducers of the bill, or of the study so that there wouldn't be any problem in connection with those that really want to work on this particular study. So, I renew my motion to accept the report.

PRESIDENT: Read your motion, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Kelly moves to amend the report that LR 187 and 188 be referred to the Public Health and Welfare Committee rather than the Judiciary Committee.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, colleagues. This is an area that Public Health and Welfare Committee has worked in for many years. The Judiciary Committee has not worked in it